IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

ALFONSO LEWIS, :

Petitioner, :

: CIVIL ACTION

v. : NO. 10-0079

:

DAVID VARANO et al.,

Respondents. :

ORDER

AND NOW, this 11th day of April, 2011, upon consideration of Petitioner's Petition and Amended Petition for Writ of Habeas Corpus (*Doc. Nos. 1, 13*), Respondents' Responses (*Doc. Nos. 9, 14*), Petitioner's Reply (*Doc. No. 15*), and related documents, and after reviewing the Magistrate Judge's Report and Recommendation (*Doc. No. 17*)—to which no objections have been filed, it is hereby **ORDERED** as follows:

- 1. The Report and Recommendation (Doc. No. 17) is **APPROVED and ADOPTED**;
- The Petition for Writ of Habeas Corpus (Doc. No. 1) and the Amended Petition (Doc. No. 13) are DENIED and DISMISSED without an evidentiary hearing;
- 3. There is no probable cause to issue a certificate of appealability; and
- 4. THE WARDEN OF THE STATE CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION AT COAL TOWNSHIP, PENNSYLVANIA, SHALL ENSURE THAT PETITIONER RECEIVES A COPY OF THIS ORDER.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

/s/ Paul S. Diamond

PAUL S. DIAMOND, J.